OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City, for week ending Saturday the 22nd October 1927 :—

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market Report	Retail prices
Food grains and pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	21 12 0 to 23 0 0	—	4 to 4½ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla ..	"	"	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	..	4 to 4½ "
	Dharapur " ..	"	"	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	..	3⅜ to 3¾ "
	Mysore kaddi " ..	"	"	20 0 0 to 22 8 0	..	4½ to 5 "
	Alubbalu " ..	"	"	....	No stock	....
Ragi ..	Duyam (black) per cart load ..	640	..	62 0 0 to 63 0 0	..	9½ to 10½ "
	Superior (red) " ..	640	..	64 0 0 to 65 0 0	..	
Tur ..	Gulberga	..	..	....	..	4½ to 4¾ "
Tur (Dal) ..	....	..	..	....	..	3⅞ to 3¾ "
Avare ..	....	..	..	....	..	3⅜ to 3¾ "
Avare (Dal) ..	....	..	..	....	..	3¾ to 4 "
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	2	26½	8 0 0 to 9 0 0	..	0-3-3 to 0-3-9 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	6 8 0 to 6 12 0	..	0-2-8 to 0-3-0 per seer
Oilseeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ..	255	..	58 0 0 to 63 0 0	..	....
	Castor seed " ..	255	..	32 0 0	..	....
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ..	White Bura ..	..	25	3 12 0	..	0-7-3 to 0-7-6 per viss
	Kolar Bura	..	25	3 10 0	..	
Jaggery ..	Achu	..	28	2 10 0 to 2 14 0	New	0-4-0 to 0-6-3 per viss
				2 4 0 to 2 8 0	Old	
	Oonde	..	28	3 1 0 to 3 2 0	New	
				2 0 0 to 2 4 0	Old	
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	..	26½	24 0 0	..	3-0-0 "
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) ..	100	..	7 0 0	..	1 ½ seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 25th October 1927.

H. K. RAMIENGAR,
For *Director*.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 22ND OCTOBER 1927.

A total of 146 attacks with 79 deaths from plague was returned during the week, all the districts being affected except Kadur. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore returned 2 attacks with 2 deaths and 15 attacks with 13 deaths respectively while the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from inspection.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 256 attacks with 127 deaths in 1926, and 166 attacks with 102 deaths in 1925.

3. No cases either from cholera, influenza, relapsing fever or of small-pox were reported during the week.

4. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 71 representing a calculated annual ratio of 31·14 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·05 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under plague, 5 under malaria, 4 under pneumonia, 1 under typhoid, 2 under other fevers, 6 under phthisis, 4 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 47 under all other causes.

5. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 65, representing a calculated annual ratio of 40·26 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·71 for 1926. The causes of deaths were plague 13, malaria 1, pneumonia 5, typhoid 1, other fevers 3, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 4 and all other causes 35.

6. There were 28 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 16·22 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·18 for 1926. The deaths were pneumonia 1, other fevers 1, dysentery and diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 20.

B. MAHOMED USMON,
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